

WIDA Remote Screener

Grades 2-12 Launches July 30, 2020

A few weeks ago, WIDA introduced the launch of a K-1 remote screener. WIDA is now pleased to announce the launch of Grades 2-12 remote screener. Combined, these new tools offer a **temporary** solution in response to the challenges that COVID-19 poses. WIDA believes that this paper-format solution, built in a matter of weeks, upholds equity for all students, regardless of their access to technology.

Grades 2-12

- Available in the following grade-level clusters: 2-3, 4-5, 6-8, 9-12
- Tests Speaking and Reading (directly) and Listening (indirectly); Writing is not assessed
- Administered individually (one test administrator and one student) over the phone (ideally a video call)
- Both student and test administrator have printed test materials
- Approximately 30 minutes to administer
- Helps support identification of English learners

Test Materials

- Test Administrator Manual
- Test Administrator Script
- Student Packet
- Scoresheet

Accessing Materials

- Materials will be posted in the WIDA Secure Portal within the Screener Test Materials and Training section, under a new tile: WIDA Remote Screener.
- The WIDA Remote Screener tile will be visible to all people who have WIDA Screener or K W-APT permissions. When a state or local site adds people to the WIDA Screener or K W-APT permission, WIDA Remote Screener is included in that permission.

Communications and Support

Materials Available on WIDA Secure Portal
SEA Quarterly – Brief Update and Q&A
LEA Webinar – Test Administrator Training and Q&A

Thursday, July 30
Wednesday, August 5, 2:00-3:30pm CST
Thursday, August 6, 1:00-2:00pm CST

